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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the shortened statutory period for responding to the Notice of Appeal filed March 27, 2006, be extended five months from May 27, 2006, to October 27, 2006.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1177 in the amount of \$2,160.00 for the five-month extension fee; this request is submitted in triplicate. Order No. 06-0363 . The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the required fee or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1177.

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Responsive action has been taken by filing a <u>Continuation</u> simultaneously herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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